Title: Need for all round of Ratua Block-I in Malda District, Bengal.

SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DASMUNSI (RAIGANJ): Sir, Ratua Block-I is one of the most backward and flood prone zones of North Malda within the District of Malda in my Lok Sabha constituency. This particular Block is having an island type zone known as Mahanandtola and Bilaimari which is threatened by speedy river Fulohar flowing from Bihar affecting Ramayanpur to Janjali Tola. More than rupees one crore allotment from the Centre has been made for electrification of this area known as Mahanandtola and Bilaimari within Ratua Block, but nothing has been done so far. In this Block, there is no proper health and road infrastructure and drainage system particularly in Kahala G.P. and Debipur G.P. to clear the logged water during heavy monsoon and flood. Mahananda Division should get special support from the Water Resource Ministry immediately.

I urge upon the Planning Ministry to address the issues without fail.